

Immaculate Conception Parish

March 25th, 2018

Passion (Palm) Sunday

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday - 7:00pm - Ernie Falkenham, †Diane Fulton

Tuesday - 12:00pm - Mass of Chrism, St. Mary's Basilica

Wednesday - 7:00pm - †Jack Baird, †Donnie Tobin



Holy Triduum

Holy Thursday Mass

7:30pm - Immaculate Conception, Truro

Good Friday Liturgy

11:00am - Sacred Heart, Millbrook

3:00pm - Immaculate Conception, Truro

Easter Vigil

8:00pm - Immaculate Conception, Truro

Sunday

9:00am - Immaculate Conception, Truro

11:30am - St. Michael's, Brule

11:30am - Sacred Heart, Millbrook

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Tuesday - Thursday @ 6:30 pm.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Thursday from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet (in song) Thursday evenings @ 6:30 during Lent.

Divine Mercy Novena - From March 30 until April 7 - For each of the nine days of Divine Mercy Novena, Our Lord gave Saint Faustina a different prayer intention. We begin on **Good Friday @ 2.30** in the church. On **Sat. March 31, Sun. April 1, Mon. April 2** we will pray on our own. We pray the Novena together 30 minutes before weekday Masses Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri & Sat. April 7 (before 1st Saturday Mass)

Divine Mercy Devotions **Sunday, April 8th at 3pm** - Chaplet in Song, Adoration, Veneration, followed by social time.

Children's Way of the Cross - Friday, March 30th at 10:00 a.m.

COLLECTION UPDATE

March 18th Collection was \$4,637.75 (**Budgeted \$4,442.30**) Immaculate Conception = \$3,858.15, St. Michael's = \$330.00; Sacred Heart = \$449.60 & Capital Campaign = \$85.00

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Sunday, March 25th @ 10am: Level 1 to 6 classes

Saturday, April 7th: Level 10 Spirit Day

Monday, March 26th @ 7pm: Level 7 & 8 classes

Monday, April 9th @ 5pm: Level 9 class

Friday, March 30th @ 10am: *Children's Way of the Cross*

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Wednesday: 8:30 - 4:30

Thursdays: 8:30 - 3:00

Fridays: Closed

(Closed for Lunch 12:00 - 1:15)

Announcements

A Good Friday Dinner will be held on **Friday, March 30th** from 4 to 6pm. **Fish Pie, Salad, roll, dessert, tea or coffee** are included. Take outs will be available. \$10.00 per person. (In case of a Storm, the Dinner will be moved to Saturday, March 31st from 4:00 - 6:00 pm.)

K of C 40 Cans for Lent - For all parishioners participating with us in the "40 cans for Lent" campaign, all items may be brought to church following the masses on the weekend after Easter where we will be collecting your contributions. Thank you so much for your generosity. If you have fallen behind or haven't started there is still time to just pick up where we are and continue through the end. Every little bit helps. God Bless. Contact for info dmcalduff@eastlink.ca or Derek at 902 895 1891

Discovering Christ - Beginning on **April 6th**, the Parish will be hosting a five-week program called Discovering Christ to help people connect, or reconnect, with their faith. Each evening session will include a meal, video, and group discussion. If you wish to attend this program please notify Bill at 902 843 2745 or whelans@eastlink.ca. It is necessary that we are aware of the number of participants in order to finalize food and seating requirements.

Dinner Theatre 2018 (April 26, 27 & 28th) - Dinner Theatre promises to take you down memory lane with poodle skirts, letter sweaters and Johnny-Be-Good dishing out tunes from the 1950's. A roast beef dinner will be prepared by Roseanne MacIsaac and her team. Everything you could possibly want in a memorable evening is yours for the taking. Tickets are \$35.00 per person; contact Gail MacKinnon (902-897-2786) for tickets. **She will be at the church on Monday and Thursday from 12:30-2:30 and Friday from 12:00-1:00. (Saturday night is now Sold Out!)**

CWL Thank You - On March 9th & 10th we had our bake sale and it was a great success. The money raised was for the Monsignor Martin bursary. I want to personally thank Anne MacEachern for organizing the bake sale and all the CWL ladies who baked, helped or donated towards the fundraiser.

7th Annual Joe Walsh Memorial Golf Tournament - planning has begun. Mark your calendars: **Friday, August 24th** for an enjoyable day of golf topped off with a delicious roast beef dinner. Committee members: Betty Chapman, Keith Gillis, Jackie Swift and John Webb.

Bible Study - Bible Study continues on Mondays 9:30am. We are looking at how the Psalms and Isaiah foretell the sufferings of our Lord. Please join us. Everyone Welcome.

Veritas Catholic Books & Gifts - books and so much more...spread the joy of Easter to others - a selection of Easter Cards, Divine Mercy Cards and Pamphlets are now in. Visit us between 11am & 4pm Thursday & Friday or Saturday between 10am & 1pm. (closing at 3pm on Holy Thursday; closed Good Friday & Holy Saturday).

Knights of Columbus Bursary - \$1,000. award to be presented to successful female or male applicants who are practicing Catholics, who are attending first year University, College or Community College. Applications are available at the High Schools, ICC website http://icc-truro.org/?page_id=254 or Representatives Ron Vautour 897-0785 or Gordon Weatherby 893-2329. Application deadline April 15/18.

Immaculate Conception Cemetery - Our cemetery, located on Robie Street has lots for parishioners. Contact the Superintendent's Office at 902-893-3304.



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